

MINUTES OF THE LAFAYETTE COMMON COUNCIL
November 13, 2008
Special Session

The Common Council of the City of Lafayette, Indiana met in special session on Thursday November 13, 2008 at 5:30 p.m. in the City Hall Council Chambers, 20 North 6th Street, Lafayette, Indiana.

President Campbell called the meeting to order at 5:30 p.m.

The Pledge of Allegiance was given to the flag of our Country.

The following members were present:

Present: Klinker, Meyer, Cornstuble, Brown, Novak, Weast-Williamson, Downing and Campbell.

Absent: Heide

The City Clerk stated that there was a quorum present.

City Clerk Cindy Murray and City Attorney Ed Chosnek were present.

The Clerk read Ordinance 2008-21 (2009 Budget Ordinance, An Ordinance Appropriating Money for the Purpose of Defraying the Expenses of Several Departments of the City Government of the City of Lafayette, Indiana for the Fiscal Year beginning January 1, 2009 and Ending December 31, 2009, Including the Outstanding Claims and Obligations and Fixing a Time When the Same Shall Take Effect.) by title only on second and final reading. Councilman Meyer moved for passage, Councilman Klinker seconded. Councilman Cornstuble moved to amend Ordinance 2008-21 in its entirety, Councilman Brown seconded. The motion passed 7-0 on a roll call vote. Mayor Roswarski spoke regarding the budget, the changes in health insurance coverage and issues caused by lack of monies paid to the city for operational expenses due to delays from the county. Amended Ordinance 2008-21 passed 8-0 on a roll call vote on second and final reading with President Campbell voting.

Dan Crowell, Street Commissioner announced Hoosier Recycling, a sponsor of the Mayor's Youth Council has offered the use of a thirty foot recycling trailer that the city will use at community events. Mr. Crowell noted the trailer will be placed at the Street Department 260 S. 3rd Street during the hours of 7:00 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Monday through Friday beginning December 1, 2008 so citizens who do not have recycling at there residences will have a drop off site available. President Campbell commended Mr. Crowell for his efforts.

With no further business to come before the Council, Councilman Downing moved to adjourn, Councilwoman Weast-Williamson seconded. Meeting was adjourned at 5:50 pm.

Minutes prepared by Cindy Murray, City Clerk

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